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Applicants: David Sidransky Art Unit: 1634
Application No.: 09/863,806 Examiner: Stephanie W. Zitomer
Filed: May 22, 2001
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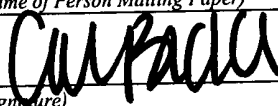
Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

TRANSMITTAL SHEET

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for the above-identified application, please find:

1. Response to Restriction Requirement mailed September 24, 2002 (2 pages);
2. Petition for Fourth Month Extension of Time (2 pages);
3. Check No. 530661 in the amount of \$725.00; and
4. Return Receipt Postcard

CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 CFR §1.8	
I hereby certify that the documents referred to as enclosed herein are being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail on this date, February 24, 2003 , addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231.	
Carrie E. Bickle (Name of Person Mailing Paper)	
 (Signature)	February 24, 2003 (Date)

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Respectfully submitted,

Date: February 24, 2003



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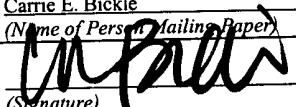
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RESPONSE TO THE RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Sir:

In response to a Restriction Requirement mailed September 24, 2002 (Paper No. 11)
Applicants elect with traverse target sequences, SEQ ID NOs: 3 and 4 (flank the D21S1245 marker)
and the primers that hybridize thereto, SEQ ID NOs: 35 and 36, respectively.

The Examiner is invited to contact Applicants' undersigned representative if there are any
questions relating to this application.

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